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COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)	Docket No. 13689

In Re Application Of: **Richard S. NORMAN et al.**

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Invention: **CELL-BASED SWITCH FABRIC WITH DISTRIBUTED SCHEDULING**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **November 29, 2004** (*Date*) in the above-identified application.

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☒ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: **February 29, 2005** (*Date*) until: **April 29, 2005** (*Date*)

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

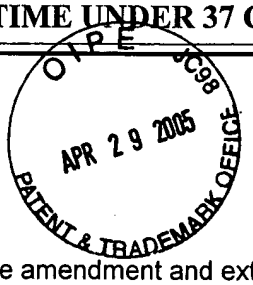
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR		NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	44	-	44	=	0	x $25.00	$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1	-	3	=	0	x $100.00	$0.00
						FEE FOR AMENDMENT	$0.00
						FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME	$225.00
						TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME	**$225.00**

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- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **04-1577**

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